

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 -- EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - TECHNOLOGY CENTER 3612

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 01-1080)

PATENT

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In re Application of:)
Anderson et al.) Art Unit: 3612
Serial No.: 09/681,341) Examiner: Pape, Joseph
Filed: March 21, 2001) Confirmation No.: 5256
For: Vehicle and Bumper Assembly Therefor)
Having an Integral Fascia and Energy)
Absorber, and Method for Making the Same)

OFFICIALRESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attn: Examiner Joseph Pape

Sir:

This is a response to the Final Office Action mailed August 12, 2003.

Please amend this Application as set forth below, and consider the accompanying remarks.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 2, 15 and 28.

A complete list of claims is incorporated as Appendix A.